IO could find fault with could say that in setting such a standard for His stures the Almighty required too sch? On the other hand, how could gine a just and loving Heavenly Father requiring less than is here attipulated. God's law, variously statalways amounts to the same the Jews at Mt. Sinal, embodied in the Decalogue, corresponds with this

forth by the great Teacher, paying, Thou shait love the Lord thy God with all thy mind, soul and strength; and thy eighbor as thy-

Many of us, St. Patel Prophet astering to re that the Divine

Law is holy and just and good, have been surprised to find that that which our minds heartly approve, we are unable to obey—to the full. For thirty-five hundred years the Jews have sought to keep that Divine Law, unier the promise of eternal life for so doing, but none of them have been able to gain the prize.

When as a nation they resiltse their inability, and not sooner, they will be ready to receive at God's hands, as a free gift through the Redeemer, the forgiveness of their violations of the Divine Law. And then, under their New Covenant (Jer. 31:31; Heb. 8.5-13), they will have Messiah's asof mind and body and a "new heart," which will enable them to obey in every particular the Divine Law.

That blessing, which is soon to comgdom and the New Covenant, will be extended through them, as the natural seed of Abraham, to every nation, kindred and tongue, in harmony with the Divine promise made to Abraham.

Analyzing Our Subject Applying this principle of justice to our words, it means that we should not speak evil of either friend or foe; that we should not even insinuate evil. It means that we should not tell unurily what we know to be the truth, if it would harm our neighbor. dispurage him and discredit him in the eyes of others. It means that we ald love our neighbor and his inter ests as we love our own, and should efend his interests and goard them as carefully as we would our own.

Justice, in order to thus operate to our words and deeds, must operate in our hearts-in our minds. "As a man thinketh, so is be." If he thinks unndly, ungenerously, unjustly, he will find it impossible always to avoid unkind unjust, unloving words or actions. "Out of the abundance of the heart the mouth speaketh." It fol-lows, then, that to do justly signifies word, in conduct. This none of us are

The nearest approach to this is the perfect or just intention of the heart. covenanted by all those who become followers of the Lord Jews Christ The intentions and good endeavors of these are accepted of the Father.

To Love Mercy

All recognize morey as a very proper, very desirable quality. All realize heir need of Divine mercy. All should



love & Rather they love renge estrained to mercy by the laws of the land, public sertiment and

Time and again this has been shown in the case of typchings. Mobs have gathered for the infliction of penishut glad of an opportunity for setting raids mercy and letting home jus-tice, as they might express it. And in those mobs have been many guilty of perhaps as great crimes as the one who was mobbed. "O, consistency.

Walk Humbly With Thy God a word, those who are just ad merciful are very apt to find th seives possessed of a spirit of pride, a ing of superiority to their fellows, neighbor to their having a humble ralk with God. Those most bumble sard the Almighty are frequently see who have had great sins and

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ent.

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